

# **SUPERIOR**

## **Hardware Specialties**

**FOR**  
**DOORS and WINDOWS**

Catalog No. 16

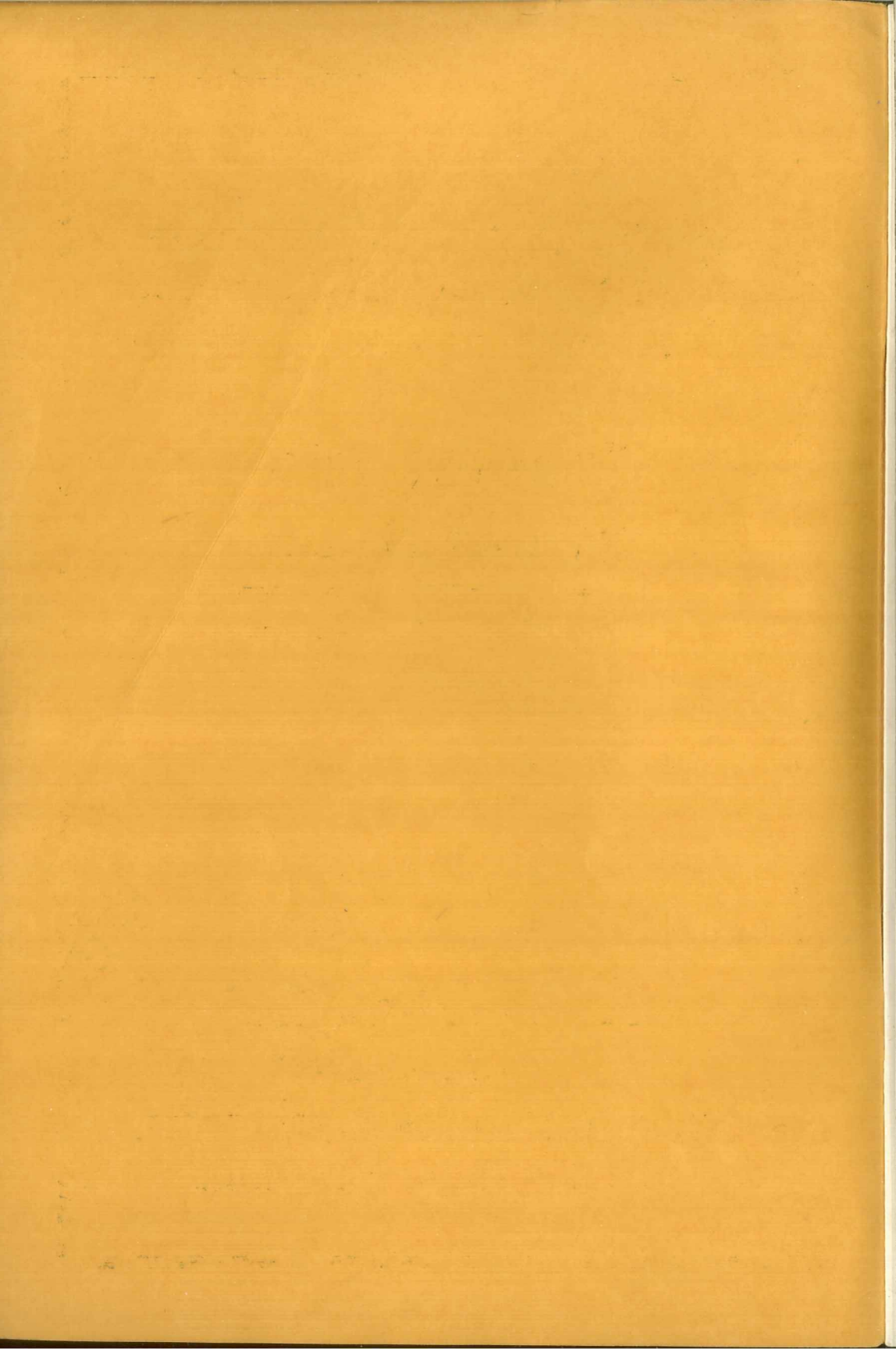
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**SUPERIOR SPRING HINGE CO.**

550 W. LAKE STREET, CHICAGO, ILL.



## *Our Aim---*

OUR aim is always to give the best goods possible for the least price, and not the cheapest for whatever is obtainable. We compete only in quality, durability and complete satisfaction.

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**SUPERIOR SPRING HINGE CO.**

550 W. LAKE ST., CHICAGO, ILL.

## HARDWARE DEALERS

Will find our goods the most satisfactory in their line, as they are original and their construction is the most simple and compact, consequently they are neat, strong, durable, and will satisfy particular customers.

## ARCHITECTS

Will find our goods correct in every particular and a good line to specify.

## CONTRACTORS

Can make no mistake by using our goods, as they are superior to any others and always give satisfaction. They are quickly and easily applied.

## BUILDERS

There is nothing better, as our goods are the latest improved, with all the good features which make them neat, strong and durable.



TIPPIT DOOR HOLDERS



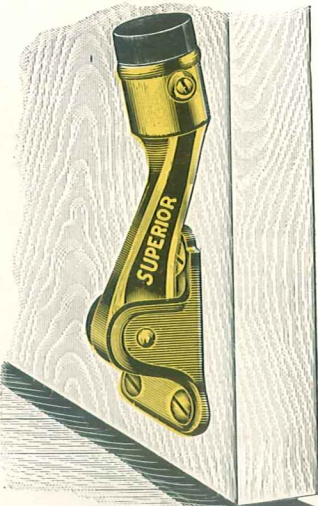
"TIPPIT" Door Holder in Use

TIPPIT Door Holders are made in two sizes, the smaller size will reach two inches, and the larger size four inches from door to floor.

TIPPIT Door Holders are made in brass, bronze and malleable iron, in polished and unpolished finishes to suit your requirements.

TIPPIT Door Holders are easy to operate, as they are released and engaged with the toe, no stooping or reaching down being necessary.

The rubber in a TIPPIT Door Holder is large and cannot break. The size of the rubber is 7/8-inch diameter and 3/8-inch thick. The rubber is fastened in the socket with a machine screw. When a new rubber is needed, it is easily exchanged by loosening the machine screw. The old



"TIPPIT" Door Holder Released

rubber can be taken out and a new rubber inserted without removing the Door Holder from the door. A spring tension holds the TIPPIT Door Holder against the door so it cannot fall down when not in use.

Packed 1/2 dozen in box with screws.  
Weight per dozen, 2-inch reach, 5 lbs.  
Weight per dozen, 4-inch reach, 6 lbs.

Malleable Iron Unpolished Dull Brass or Oxidized Copper Per Doz.	Malleable Iron Polished Any Standard Finishes Per Doz.	Brass or Bronze Metal Polished Per Doz.
\$ 9.00	\$12.00	\$16.80
10.20	13.20	18.00

Malleable Iron, 2-inch reach from door to floor.....  
Malleable Iron, 4-inch reach from door to floor.....

Extra Rubbers, \$1.80 per doz.

ANY FINISHES MADE TO ORDER

GARAGE DOOR HOLDERS

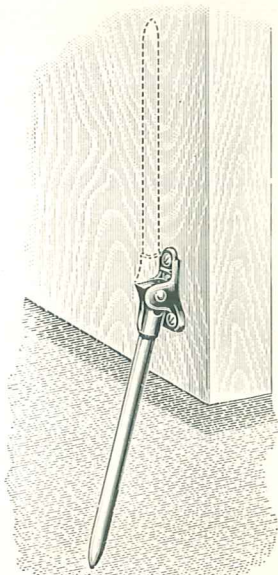
This Garage Door Holder is made of malleable iron, and the 3/8-inch rod of cold rolled steel can be supplied in any length.

A spring tension holds the rod against the door so it cannot fall down when not in use.

Made in electro-galvanized finish.

9-inch reach .....\$6.00 per doz.  
12-inch reach..... 7.00 per doz.

Packed 2 in a box.

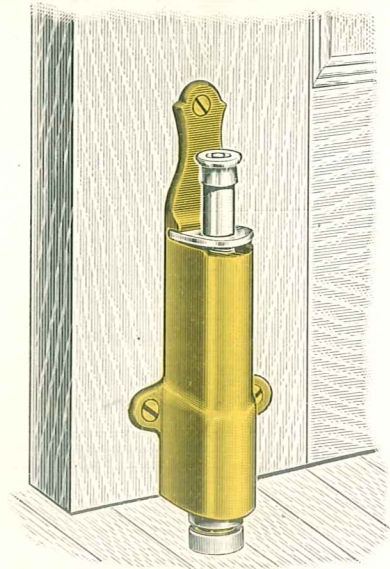


GARAGE Door Holder

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To Hold Your Door Open Use

SUPERIOR DOOR HOLDERS



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This is a neat, strong and durable device that is operated by foot pressure. It cannot injure any kind of a floor or carpet, nor has it any projection to catch on garments.

This holder should be used on all doors equipped with spring hinges or door checks.

MADE IN THREE SIZES

- No. 1 size will reach 1¼ inches from door to floor. Weight per dozen 8 lbs. Height 5½ inches.
- No. 2 size will reach 1½ inches from door to floor. Weight per dozen 13 lbs. Height 7 inches.
- No. 3 size will reach 2½ inches from door to floor. Weight per dozen 18 lbs. Height 9 inches.

Packed ½ Dozen in Box with Screws to Match.  
Special Finishes Made to Order.

SUPERIOR IRON DOOR HOLDERS — Price Per Dozen

Iron Dull Japanned	Iron Polished Bronze Plated	Unpolished Iron Antique Copper Plated	Iron Polished Antique Copper Plated	Iron Polished Imitation Bower Barff
No. 1 ..... \$10.80	No. 21 ..... \$14.40	No. 031.....\$12.00	No. 31 ..... \$14.40	No. 51.....\$14.40
No. 2 ..... 12.00	No. 22 ..... 16.80	No. 032 ..... 13.80	No. 32 ..... 16.80	No. 52..... 16.80
No. 3 ..... 16.00	No. 23 ..... 22.20	No. 033 ..... 18.00	No. 33 ..... 22.20	No. 53 ..... 22.20

BRASS PLATED ON IRON — Price Per Dozen

Iron Unpolished Lemon Brass Plated	Iron Unpolished Antique Brass Plated	Iron Polished Lemon Brass Plated	Iron Antique Brass Plated Sand Blast
No. 0521 ..... \$12.00	No. 0531.....\$12.00	No. 521.....\$14.40	No. 541.....\$14.40
No. 0522 ..... 13.80	No. 0532 ..... 13.80	No. 522 ..... 16.80	No. 542 ..... 16.80
No. 0523 ..... 18.00	No. 0533 ..... 18.00	No. 523 ..... 22.20	No. 543 ..... 22.20

BRONZE OR BRASS METAL — Price Per Dozen

Bronze Metal Polished	Brass Metal Polished Dull Brass	Bronze Metal Polished Antique Brass or Copper Sand Blast	Price per dozen packed half-dozen in box with screws to match.
No. 61.....\$21.00	No. 71 .....\$21.00	No. 81.....\$23.00	The No. 1 size, Dull Jap and Special D. H. is furnished without caps. Caps extra for these Holders 50c per dozen list.
No. 62 ... 27.00	No. 72 ..... 27.00	No. 82..... 30.00	
No. 63 ... 36.00	No. 73 ... 36.00	No. 83..... 39.00	

Extra rubbers .....	No. 1 size Holder.....	Per Dozen \$2.00
Extra rubbers fitted in brass tubing for No. 2 size Holder.....		2.50
Extra rubbers fitted in brass tubing for No. 3 size Holder.....		5.00

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SUPERIOR DOOR HOLDERS

Superior Door Holders should be used on all doors equipped with door checks or spring hinges, or doors exposed to draft. They will hold the door open at any position without marring the floor or carpet, as they have a rubber cushion which comes in contact with the floor.

They operate with foot pressure. No stooping or bending is required to lock or release the Superior Door Holder.

MADE IN CAST BRONZE, BRASS AND IRON, IN THREE SIZES:

No. 1 size, 5½ in. high, for Residences or Light Doors.....	Reach 1¼ in.
No. 2 size, 7 in. high, for Office, Hospital and Public Buildings.....	Reach 1½ in.
No. 3 size, 9 in. high, for Heavy Doors.....	Reach 2½ in.

SUPERIOR SPECIAL DOOR HOLDERS

WITHOUT RUBBER — OPERATED WITH FOOT PRESSURE

This door holder is used and recommended for outside and vestibule doors; these doors are wide open or closed, and for this purpose we furnish brass sockets to be used in tile or cement floors into which the ½-inch diameter steel rod enters.

This device will hold the door firmly so that it cannot be moved until released.

It is also used as a dead bolt when the door is closed.

This door holder has been used for a number of years in public and theatre buildings and has given perfect satisfaction.

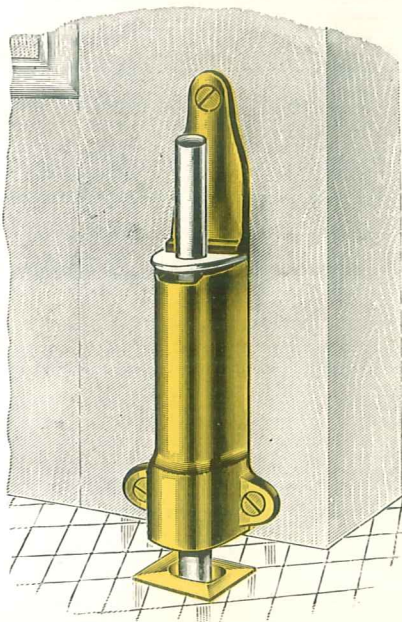
MADE IN TWO SIZES—IN BRASS AND BRONZE METAL ONLY.

No. 62 Special Polished Brass or Bronze Metal at.....	\$27.00 doz.
7 in. high. Reach 2¼ in.	
No. 63 Special Polished Brass or Bronze Metal at.....	\$36.00 doz.
9½ in. high. Reach 3¼ in.	

Packed ½ doz. in box, with screws to match.

Cement Sockets, made of brass metal, at \$4.80 per dozen.

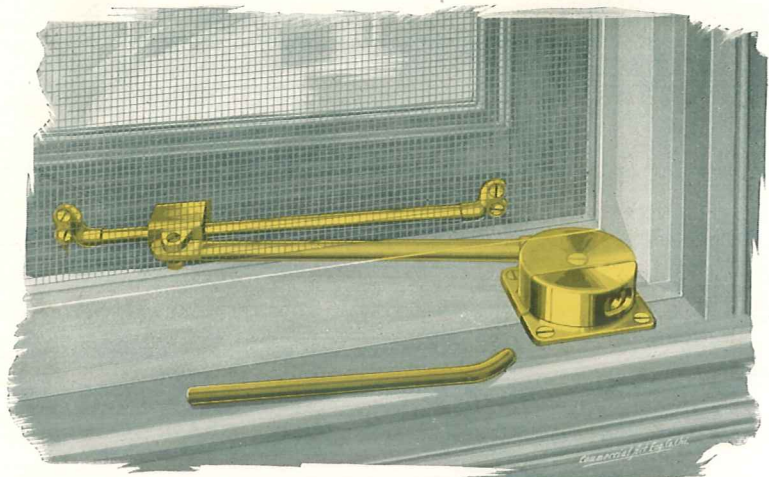
The illustration to the right shows a Superior Special Door Holder applied to the door, with a cement socket in a tile floor.



SUPERIOR CASEMENT ADJUSTER No. 4

FOR WINDOWS THAT OPEN OUTWARD

*Operates Without Disturbing the Screen*



HANDLE DETACHED (Patented)

SUPERIOR CASEMENT ADJUSTERS

US Finish		Iron	Each
US 2 G	No. 4	Iron Electro Galvanized.....	\$3.50
US 8	No. 34	Iron Polished, Antique Copper finish.....	4.00
US 4	No. 524	Iron Polished, Dull Brass.....	4.00
		Brass or Bronze Metal	
US 9	No. 64	Polished Bright Bronze finish.....	\$6.00
US 4	No. 74	Polished Dull Brass finish.....	6.00

Any finish made to order. Specify whether right or left hand.

For Sand Blast, Bright Nickel or Electro Galvanized and Plated add 10%.

The distance between sash and screen should not be less than 1¾ inches.

Half as many handles as Adjusters ordered supplied free in the same finish as the Adjusters. The Electro Galvanized Adjusters are supplied with Dull Brass Finish handles if not otherwise specified.

Length of handle 9 inches; any length made to order.

Length of Casement Adjuster over all 13 inches.

This Casement Adjuster is also used for out-swinging transoms.

All Superior Casement Adjusters are supplied with Solid Brass Metal Slide Rod.

Packed one Adjuster in box, with directions and screws to match. Weight 2 lbs. each. Extra Handles 20c each.

Attachable Handles are recommended for hotels, hospitals or public buildings. Add 10c each net for each Adjuster.

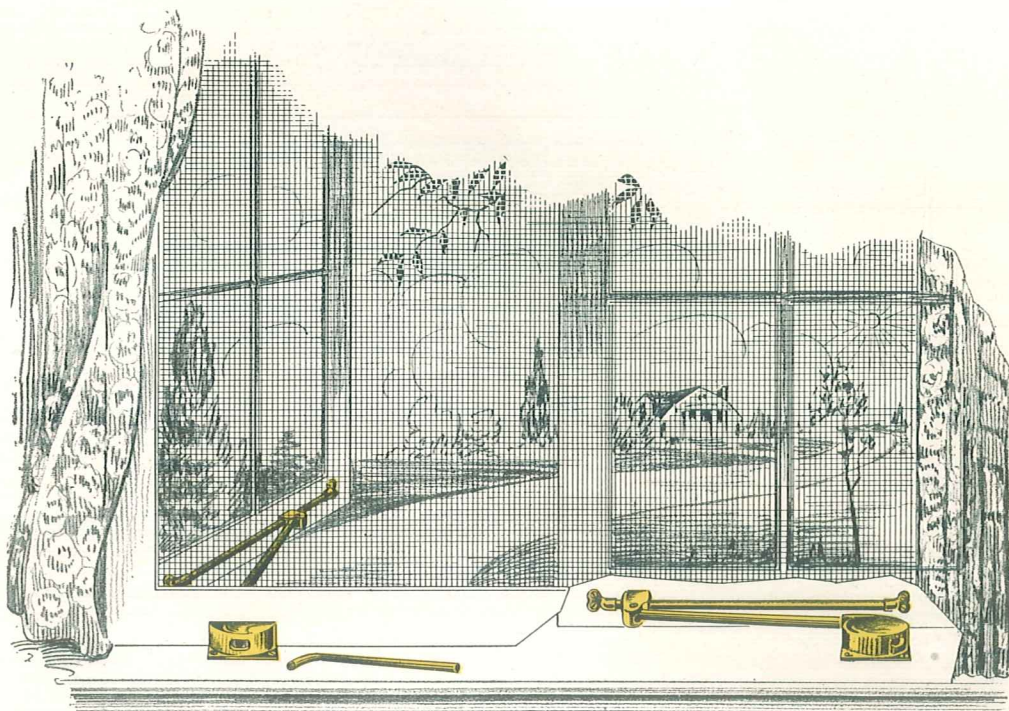
For apartments or residences use detachable handles.

Regular handles are used for stools of any width or for windows in corners.

Sash narrower than 16 inches requires shorter Adjusters, which will be supplied at no extra cost.

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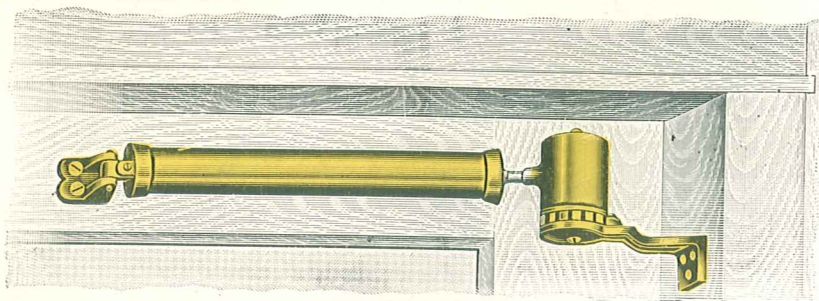
The above illustration shows a pair of windows equipped with Superior Casement Adjusters. The window to the left shows a Superior Casement Adjuster operating through the screen. The window to the right shows the Casement Adjuster when the screen is removed.

When Superior Casement Adjusters are used it is not necessary to open the screen. No flies or mosquitoes can enter, and no curtain or drapes are disturbed when the windows are opened and closed.

Superior Casement Adjusters operate through the screen in a quick and easy manner — no holes to engage, no sprockets to catch, no slow worm-gear to wrestle with when a sudden storm throws torrents of rain through every window. No crank to turn, no handle to lift up or press down — just simply push or pull the handle in a natural way, which opens or closes the window. When you let go the handle, the window locks automatically in any position.

The Superior Casement Adjusters are the strongest because the slide arm locks on the solid brass rod fastened to the window and thus combines the strength of both rods. No wind can rattle it — no burglar can force it.

## SUPERIOR AIR CHECK NO. 5



The SUPERIOR AIR CHECK is adapted to screen or storm doors, office gates, and light interior doors.

No spring or spring hinges are required, as this check has an adjustable spring as a part of the check itself.

The spring of the Superior Air Check is entirely enclosed; this gives the spring perfect protection, and at the same time gives the check a neat and better appearance.

The Superior Air Check No. 5 is used for either left or right hand doors by simply applying the check so the arrow on the spring housing points in the same direction as the door is swung.

This check is applied opposite the hinge side of the door if space is allowed, otherwise the check is applied on the hinge side of the door.

There are two adjustments on the Superior Air Check No. 5; a spring adjustment, and a checking adjustment. The check is easily and accurately regulated to close the door fast or slow as desired.

The Superior Air Check No. 5 is finished in gold bronze lacquer. The cylinder of the check is 10 inches long and  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches in diameter. The check is packed one in a box with screws, directions, and a wrench.

The check requires only  $1\frac{3}{4}$  inches between doors.

Price per dozen.....	\$27.00
Weight per dozen.....	32 lbs.

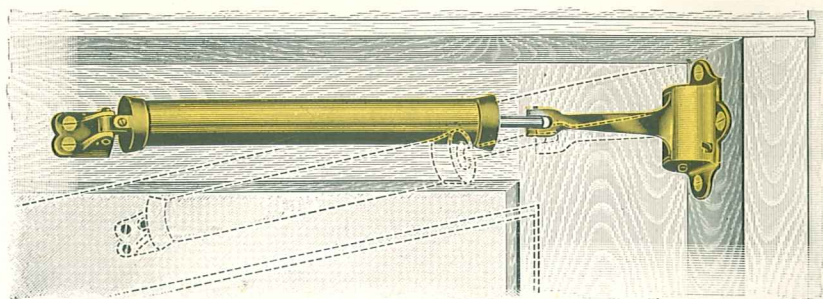
### SAMPLES

With an order of not less than one dozen Superior Air Checks No. 5, a mounted sample will be furnished at the price of one check. In less than a dozen lot there will be a charge of 75 cents plus the price of the check.

DISCOUNT



## SUPERIOR AIR CHECK NO. 6



The SUPERIOR AIR CHECK No. 6 is made for screen or storm doors, light interior doors, and office gates.

The springs are enclosed, which gives a neater appearance, and also better protection for the springs.

The Superior Air Check No. 6 is used for either left or right hand doors, without changing any part of the check.

There is a checking adjustment at the end of the cylinder, so the door may be closed fast or slow as desired.

The Superior Air Check No. 6 is so constructed that when the door is opened the check plunger pulls out first. When the door is opened about 45 degrees, the Spring Arm moves in the same direction as the door so an ordinary door can be opened beyond a right angle.

The door closes swiftly without any resistance until within about 45 degrees of being closed; here the door is checked and gently shut.

The standard finish is in gold bronze lacquer.

The cylinder of the check is 10 inches long and  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches in diameter.

The check requires only  $1\frac{3}{4}$  inches between doors.

Packed one in a box with screws and directions.

Price per dozen.....	\$21.00
Weight per dozen.....	22 lbs.

### SAMPLES

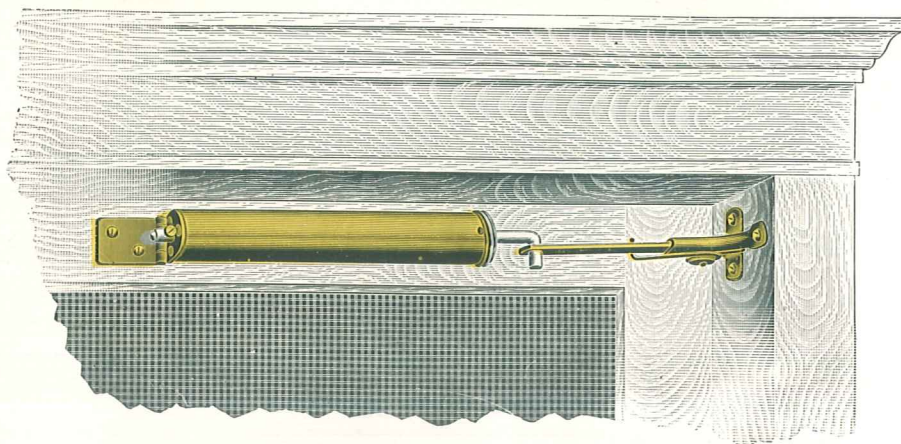
With an order of not less than one dozen Superior Air Checks No. 6, a mounted sample will be furnished at the price of one check. When less than a dozen checks are ordered there will be a charge of 75 cents plus the price of the check.

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## SUPERIOR SCREEN DOOR CHECK

One of these checks was tested on a screen door which was operated over 700,000 times without showing any defects or signs of wear



Neat Strong Durable

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This check should be used on doors equipped with spring or spring hinges to prevent the screen door, or any other light or single acting door or office gate from slamming. It is easily adjusted to close the door fast or slow as desired.

**Superior Screen Door Check** is used for right or left hand doors without changing any parts of the check. Requires only  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches space between doors.

It will pay for itself in a short time, as it will save the screen, also the door, from breaking.

The Cylinder, which is  $6\frac{1}{4}$  inches long and  $\frac{7}{8}$  inch in diameter, is made of one piece seamless brass. The Needle Valve is made of brass metal and cannot rust. All other parts are made of cold rolled steel.

**Superior Screen Door Check** is thoroughly tested and fully guaranteed.

Quickly and easily attached by anyone.

With orders sent in by dealers we furnish, on request, display cards printed in four colors.

No. 38. Antique Copper Plated .....	Price Per Doz.
No. 528. Lemon Brass Plated .....	\$15.00
	15.00

Packed  $\frac{1}{2}$  doz. in box with screws and directions.

Weight per doz., 6 lbs.

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## U. S. FINISHES

**Finishes on Builders' Hardware shall be confined to the following twenty-five Standard Finishes as listed:**

US 1 B	Bright Japanned
US 1 D	Dead Black Japanned
US 2 G	Electro Galvanized
US 2 H	Hot Galvanized
US 2 S	Sheradized
US 3	Bright Brass
US 4	Dull Brass
US 5	Dull Brass, Oxidized and Relieved
US 6	Sanded Brass, Oxidized and Relieved
US 7	Sanded Brass, Oxidized and Relieved, Raised Ornamentation Polished
US 8	Antique Copper
US 9	Bright Bronze
US 10	Dull Bronze
US 11	Dull Bronze, Oxidized and Relieved
US 12	Sanded Bronze, Oxidized and Relieved
US 13	Sanded Bronze, Oxidized and Relieved, Raised Ornamentation Polished
US 14	Nickel Plated
US 15	Nickel Plated, Dull
US 16	Nickel Plated, Dull, Sanded
US 17	Nickel Plated, Sanded, Raised Ornamentation, Polished
US 18	"Rustproof" Black
US 19	Sanded Dull Black
US 20	Statuary Bronze
US 21	Statuary Bronze, Sanded
US 22	Verde Antique
US 23	Silver Plated, Dull Oxidized and Relieved
US 24	Gold Plated, Dull
US 25	White Bronze

## CASEMENT SASH

The hand of casement sash is taken from the room side.

If the butts are on the right, it is a right-hand sash; if on the left, it is a left-hand sash. It is necessary to state whether sash opens in or out.

## HANDS OF LOCKS

(a) The hand of a lock is determined from the outside of the door to which it is applied. The outside of a cupboard, bookcase, or closet door is the room side.

(b) If, standing outside of a door, the butts are on the right, it takes a right-hand lock; if on the left, it takes a left-hand lock.

(c) If, standing outside, the door opens from you, it takes a lock with a regular bevel latch bolt; if open toward you, it takes a lock with a reverse bevel latch bolt.

## GUARANTEE

Our goods are guaranteed to give the best of satisfaction if used according to directions.

The workmanship and materials are the very best.

Any parts which may prove defective will be furnished free of charge.

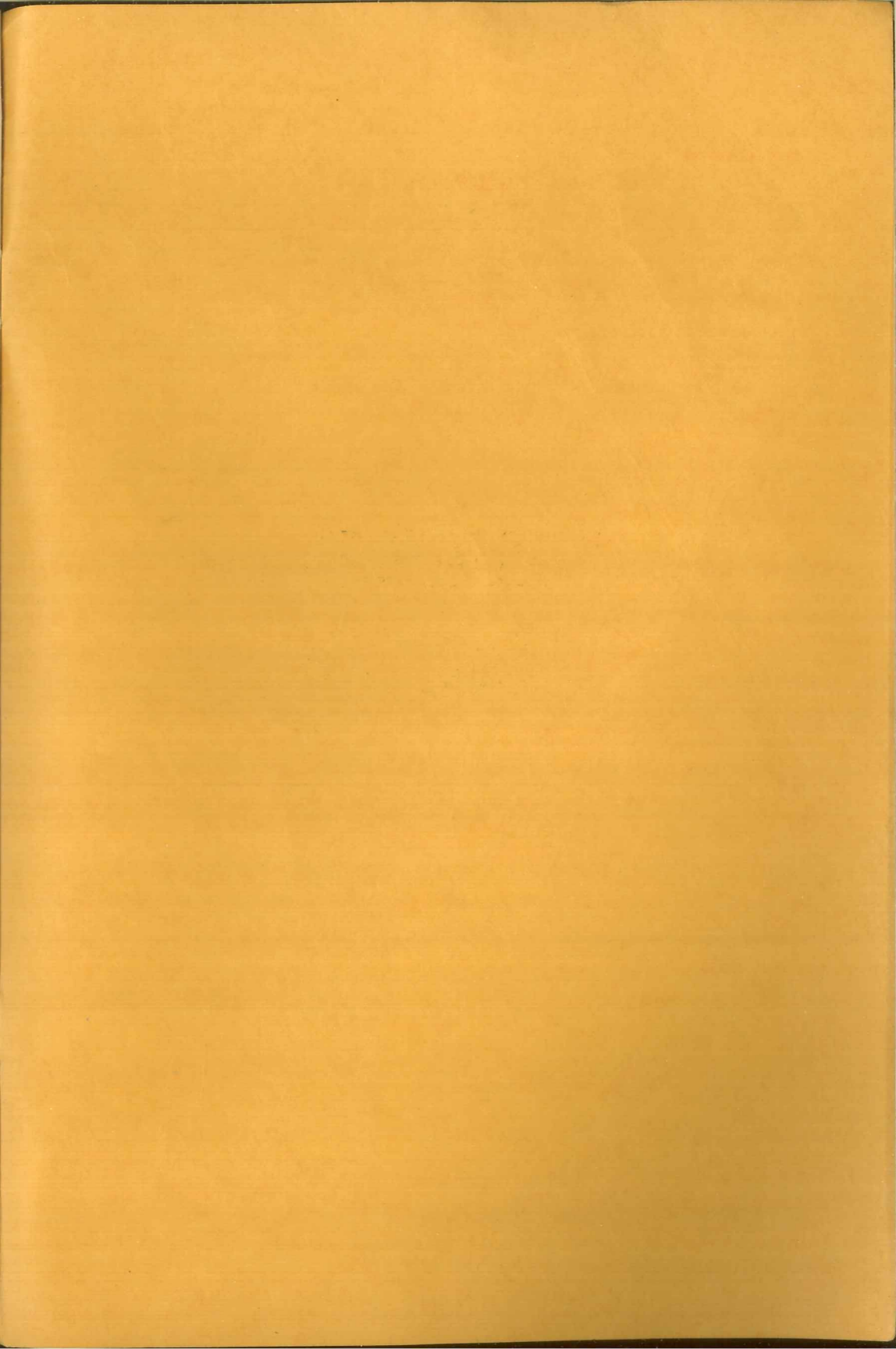
## TERMS

Net cash 30 days or 2% if paid in 10 days.

Accounts are payable in Chicago or New York exchange.

All prices are F. O. B. Chicago, if not otherwise specified or agreed.





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